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SUBJECT: UNESCO: CURRENCY OF SOVIET PAYMENTS

1. UNESCO FINANCIAL REGULATIONS SPECIFY THAT ASSESSMENTS MUST BE PAID IN U.S. DOLLARS, FRENCH FRANCS, OR POUNDS STERLING, EXCEPT FOR SUCH AMOUNTS OF LOCAL CURRENCY AS UNESCO WILL BE ABLE TO SPEND IN THE COUNTRY REQUESTING AN EXCEPTION.

2. USSR PAYS BULK OF ITS UNESCO ASSESSMENTS IN U.S. DOLLARS, ALTHOUGH IT IS PERMITTED, UNDER THE EXCEPTION REFERRED TO ABOVE, TO PAY A SMALL PORTION OF ITS ASSESSMENTS IN RUBLES. THIS RUBLE PAYMENT IS CAREFULLY LIMITED TO WHAT UNESCO CAN ACTUALLY SPEND IN THE USSR.

3. UNESCO CURRENTLY HAS ON HAND ABOUT USDOL 12,000 WORTH OF RUBLES CONTRIBUTED DURING PAST BUDGETARY PERIODS, AND IT HAS NOT ACCEPTED ANY RUBLES DURING THE PRESENT (1977-78) BIENNIUM, NOR WILL IT UNTIL THE CURRENT RUBLE ACCOUNT HAS BEEN EXHAUSTED.

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